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E.O 11652: XGDS-3 TAGS: PFOR, SF, US

SUBJECT: POSSIBLE HIGH-LEVEL SAG VISITOR

- 1. AF/S HAS PICKED UP UNSUBSTANTIATED RUMORS THAT COMMANDANT GENERAL OF SOUTH AFRICAN DEFENSE FORCE, VICE ADMIRAL HUGO H. BIERMANN, HAS BEEN OR IS ON POINT OF BEING INVITED TO VISIT US BY UNKNOWN HOSTS. DOD/ISA HAS NO RPT NO INFO ON MATTER.
- 2. SUCH A TRIP, AS EMBASSY WELL AWARE, WOULD BE CONTRARY STATE-DOD GUIDELINES ON HIGH LEVEL MILITARY VISITS.
- 3. REALIZE EMBASSY WOULD NOTIFY DEPARTMENT IF BREMANN APPLIED FOR US VISA. HOWEVER, WE WONDER IF HE MAY ALREADY POSSESS VALID VISA OR MIGHT CONCEIVABLY APPLY SOME OTHER COUNTRY. EMBASSY COMMENTS WOULD BE APPRECIATED. RUSH SECRET

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